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OF THE

SELECTMEN OF NEW-BOSTON,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 21, 1842.

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REPORT

OF THE

COMMISSIONERS

SELECTMEN OF NEW-YORK

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 1, 1851

NEW-YORK:

CHAS. H. BARNES, 21 NASSAU ST.

1851.

EXPENDITURES.

Cash paid for building the Benjamin Jones Road.

Paid Jerry Smith damage,	\$100 00
Paid Moses Wood "	37 50
Paid S. C. Crombie "	53 00
Paid Henry Parkinson "	15 50
Paid Henry Clark for building the abutments for the new bridge, a piece of the road and extra labor,	414 00
Paid Capt David Gregg for building pier,	150 00
" " for building a piece of road,	56 52
" John Lynch for "	39 90
" Henry Campbell for "	51 95
" Samuel Bailey for "	129 72
" Col Samuel Dane, timber for bridge,	77 00
" Capt Horace Philbrick for plank,	48 45
" J. K. Christie, drawing off pond,	34 75
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	\$1208 29

Paid for Repairing Great Road.

Paid Col. John Gregg for labor,	\$10 00
" William Beard,	6 75
" John Dodge,	6 75
" Nathan Hall,	35 50
" Samuel Putnam,	53 50
" Greenough Marden,	6 00
" Willard Dodge, bridge near Capt. Philbrick,	5 18
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	\$123 68

Paid for Repairing Bog Road and Dennis Bridge.

To Josiah Warren for labor,	\$21 25
Capt. Daniel Butterfield,	12 75
Jesse Christie,	12 60
John B. Warren, labor and plank,	14 70
Ebenezer Warren	5 57
Capt. D. Campbell,	2 00
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	\$68 87

Paid for Alterations of Gove Road, as sold in 1840.

To Elias Dickey,	\$239 61
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Paid for New Bridge near Joseph Gregg's, and the Road connected with the same.

To Capt. David Gregg, for stone work of bridge and extra labor,	\$215 00
Joseph Gregg, for strings and plank,	70 12
John Dodge, cap pieces, &c.	21 50
William Beard, for building road,	9 50
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	\$316 12

Paid for Repairing sundry Roads and Bridges.

To Moses Woods, for repairing bridge near his house,	\$9 01
Charles George, for plank, &c. for bridge,	5 49
John Lynch, for repairing bridges on turnpike,	2 50
Samuel Marden, for plank for bridge,	7 02
S. Putnam, for removing tree from Gove Road,	34
John Lynch, for repairs on turnpike,	1 50
Saml. Dodge, for building and repairing bridges near his house,	15 09
Benjamin Dodge, for repairing bridge,	10 50
Samuel Langdell, repairing bridge,	2 94
To Thomas Campbell,	50
To Peter Cochran,	4 50
To William Batchelder, repairing bridge,	4 65
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	\$64 04

Paid Militia.

On Muster Day,	\$78 50
Paid soldiers,	112 00
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	\$190 50

Paid for Support of Schools.

Dist.	No.	1	To Joseph Manning,	\$17 08
"	"	2	J. Christie,	39 40
"	"	3	D. Cugin,	38 19
"	"	4	Nathan Merrill,	50 50
"	"	5	S. L. Christie,	50 61
"	"	6	Henry Clark,	34 60
"	"	7	Piam Orne,	48 48
"	"	8	Benjamin Dodge jr.	83 67
"	"	9	Anson C. Boynton,	48 43
"	"	10	Joseph Willoughby,	20 44
"	"	11	Willard Dodge,	46 79
"	"	12	Daniel Andrews,	48 54
"	"	13	Benjamin Dodge,	39 32
"	"	14	Jonathan Dodge,	21 84
"	"	15	Ethan Smith,	40 91
"	"	16	Robert Wilson,	79 45
"	"	17	" "	13 62
"	"	18	J. G. Kelso,	117 79
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				\$839 66

Abatement of Taxes.

Paid James Cochran, poli tax for 1839 and '40,	\$3 81
Paid John Crombie's poll tax for 1839,	1 65
Paid Joshua Jones' tax for 1841,	20 78
Paid James Wilson's tax for 1841,	2 22
Paid Harvey Kelley's tax " "	2 02

\$30 48

C. Crombie,	67
Benj. Dodge,	99

\$32 14*Paid Sundry Bills of the year 1840*

M. Lawrence, Selectman's Bill,	\$59 78
" Pauper Bill,	13 76
David Steele's Bill, 1838, '39 and '40,	45 00
Cochran & Brown,	14 00
C. P. Danforth's bill for printing Town Accounts	17 00
Sundry other Bills,	20 88

\$170 42

J. Fairfield, Esq.	3 07
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173 49*Paid Sundry Notes against the town, amounting to \$1133 37*

Non-Resident Highway Tax.

To Stephen Whipple as per Repts. 71 45

Stationery.

Paper, Ink, Quills, Postage, &c. \$2 30

Miscellaneous Expenses.

Paid for Printing Tax Bills, 1841,	\$3 00
Paid S. Whipple for Wood,	95
R. B. Cochran, for Highway Warrants, Surveyor on town lines, expenses at Court, &c.	4 34
Levi Cochran, Repairs on Town House,	85
James Eaton, over Highway Tax, 1840,	1 12
Daniel Dodge jr., Guide Posts,	1 66
Col. E. Whiting for Guide Boards,	14 02
Sidney Hills, Ringing Bell,	22 00
" Bell Rope	1 50
Daniel Campbell, expenses perambulating town lines,	75
Willard Dodge, expenses perambulating town lines,	1 33
N. C. Crombie, for Surveying Lumber,	50
A. W. Tewksbury, for Glass and Putty for town house, and Padlocks for Gates,	1 11
Thomas Wason, for Grave Yard Gate,	4 95
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Expenses of the Poor.

Paid Superintendant of Poor Farm,	\$92 13
Paid S. Burnam for 14 bush. Corn, 1½ bush. Beans, 137 lbs. Pork,	25 12
Daniel Andrews, 15 bush. Rye	12 50
William H. Butterfield, 19½ bush. Corn and Rye,	20 19
Saml. Langdell, 5 bush. Barley,	4 17
S. B. Caldwell, for 10 bush. Potatoes,	3 34
Daniel Millen's Bill—Shoemaking,	2 22
Whipple & Smith's Blacksmith Bill,	10 68
David Smith's Blacksmith Bill,	3 15
Doct. Danforth's Bill,	19 60
Doct. R. Whipple's Bill—Med. Ser.	1 00
Moses Johonnet, for David Kemp, County Pauper,	80 00
William McCain, for Tarrant Peabody, County Pauper,	38 25
To Thomas J. Stone for Do.	2 34
Paid W. B. Whipple, Mason Work,	2 00
B. Dodge, Timber for Sled,	1 50
J. Bailey's Bill for Potatoes in 1838,	67
Allowance to Johonnett's Family,	13 00
Allowance to S. Ferson's Family,	9 98

W. Burr's Store Bill,	15 87
Cochran & Kendall's Store Bill,	74 44
A. W. Tewksbury's Store Bill,	9 39
Charles M. Fisher, for Shoes,	2 67
Cash from the Treas'y to purchase Flour, 4 bush. Rye &c.	18 00
R. B. Cochran, Services as Overseer of Poor,	4 50
Willard Dodge Do.	3 25
Daniel Campbell, Do.	1 50
M. Lawrence, Pasturing Cattle,	7 75
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	\$479 21

Received for Support of Poor.

From County for D. Kemp, and Tarrant Peabody,	\$135 61
For Maintenance of J. Cochran,	49 00
Of town of Hudson for Pauper,	21 82
Cr. at Cochran & Kendall's	26 57
Balance of Superintendent in account with the town,	1 05
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	\$234 05

Deducted from \$479 21 leaves a balance against the Town of,

\$245 16

Paid out Ministerial Funds.

To Presbyterian Society,	\$201 81
" Baptist Society,	97 86
Universalist Society,	25 47
Unitarian Society,	10 05

\$335 19

Paid Town Officers.

Rodney McCollom, for Services as Town Clerk,	\$10 00
A. W. Tewksbury, as Treasurer,	15 00
W. Burr, as Constable,	2 00
R. B. Cochran as Selectman,	54 86
Willard Dodge,	39 08
Daniel Campbell,	47 00

\$167 94

SELECTMEN'S BILLS.

Town of New Boston, to R. B. COCHRAN, Dr.
For Services as Selectman for the year 1841—

Mar. 12, 1841.	To 1-2 day making list of rateable polls, &c.	\$.50
27,	1-2 day preparing inventory book,	50
Apr. 24,	to 18½ days taking inventory, making taxes,	18 50
	to 1-2 day at Jerry Smith's,	50
29,	to 1-2 day at Willoughby's	50
May 10,	to recording taxes,	3 00
31,	to 1-2 day on road near Mullett Bridge,	50
June 9,	to 1-2 day at E. Dickey's	50
15,	to part of day on town business,	34
19,	to part of day on Bog Road,	34
22,	to 1 day viewing routes for road near Oil Mill Village,	1 00
24	to 1 day selling the repairing of the Bog and Great Roads,	1 00
25	1-2 day at Moses Woods' &c.	50
29	1 day selling the repairing of Great Road and building Gregg Bridge,	1 00
30	part of day at Bog Road,	25
July 3	to 1-2 day on Great Road,	50
8	to part of day on Great Road,	34
12	to 1-2 day laying out road near H. Clark's,	50
14	to part of day on Great Road,	34
19	to 1-2 day at M. Woods', S. C. Crombie's, &c.	50
	to making and copying articles of sale,	1 00
Aug 13	to 1-2 day viewing road routes near turnpike,	50
	to attending Court, Aug. term, 1 1-2 days,	1 50
30	to 1-2 day selling the building of a bridge and road near H. Clark's,	50
31	to 1-2 day on petition of Josiah Gage and 1-2 day on Gove Road,	1 00
Sept. 3	to 1-2 day examining road, near Wilson hill	50
10	to paying soldiers muster day,	1 00
Nov. 15	to 1-2 day on road near H. Clark's,	50
22	to 1 day at Clark bridge, &c.	1 00
29	to 1-2 day at S. Roby's,	50
	to making transcript of road,	25
Dec. 1	to 2 days settling town accounts and dividing School Money,	2 00
7.	to part of day at bridge near Horace Philbrick's and a bridge near J. Gregg's,	75
8	to 1 day notifying Select'n of Lyndeboro' &c.	1 00
20	to 6 days perambulating town lines.	5 75
	to 1 day dividing ministerial fund,	1 00

Feb. 19	to 5 days, settling town accounts, making warrant for town meeting, and preparing town accounts for the press,	5 00
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Willard Dodge's Bill.

Town of New Boston, to Willard Dodge, Dr.

To Services as Selectman—

Apr. 24, 1841.	To 18 1-2 days taking inventory and assessing taxes,	\$18 50
26,	to 1 day distributing highway warrants,	1 00
	to 1-2 day at Jerry Smith's,	50
June 21	to part of day selling the repairing of Peacock Bridge,	33
22	to 1 day viewing road routes near Oil Mill village	1 00
29	to 1-2 day selling the building of Gregg bridge,	50
Aug 13	to 1-2 day viewing routes for road near turnpike,	50
30	to 1-2 day selling the building of a bridge and road near H. Clark's,	50
31	to 1-2 day on petition of J. Gage, Esq.	50
Oct 8	to 2 days with Commissioners on road routes near the turnpike,	2 00
23	to part of day at Goffstown,	75
25	to 1-2 day at Oil Mill village with Road Comm'rs,	50
27	to 1 day examining roads and bridges, &c.	1 00
Nov 2	to 1-2 day examining E. Dickey's Road,	50
30	to 2 days dividing school money, and settling town accounts,	2 00
Dec 6	to notifying Selectmen of Weare,	50
13	to 3 days perambulating town lines,	3 00
18	to 1 day dividing Ministerial Fund,	1 00
May 31	1-2 day viewing Huntingdon route,	50
Feb. 19, 1842.	To 4 days settling town accounts, making check list, and preparing said account for the press,	4 00
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Daniel Campbell's Bill.

Town of New Boston, to Daniel Campbell, Dr.

To Services as Selectman—

Apr. 24, 1841.	To 18 1-2 days taking inventory and making taxes,	\$18 50
	to 1-2 day at Jerry Smith's,	50
May 31	to to 1-2 day on Huntingdon route,	50
June 22	to 1 day viewing road routes near Oil Mill village,	1 00

24	to 1 day selling the repairing of Bog and Great roads,	1 00
July 3	to 1-2 day on Great road,	50
June 29	to 1 day on Great road and Gregg bridge,	1 00
July 12	1-2 day laying out road near H. Clark's,	50
14	to 1-2 day on Great road,	50
Aug 13.	to 1-2 day viewing routes for road near turnpike,	50
30.	to 1-2 day selling the building of the bridge and road near H. Clark's,	50
31.	to 1 day on the petition of J. Gage, Esq. and on the Gove road,	1 00
Sept 10.	to paying soldiers on muster day,	1 00
Oct. 2.	to 1-2 day at the Clark bridge,	50
Oct. 8.	to 2 days with Road Commissioners, near the turnpike,	2 00
25.	to 1-2 day at the Clark bridge,	50
	to 1-2 day with Road Commissioners,	50
27.	to 1 day examining the road and bridge near H. Clark's, and the bridge near H. Hutchinsons,	1 00
Nov 3.	to examining road near the Wilson Hill,	75
Nov 6.	to 1-2 day on the road near H. Clark's,	50
23.	1-2 day at bridge built by H. Clark,	50
30.	to 2 days dividing school fund,	2 00
18.	to 1 day dividing ministerial fund,	1 00
	to 6 days perambulating town lines,	5 75
Feb 19.	to five days settling town accounts, preparing them for the press, and making check list,	5 00

 \$47 00

The Selectmen of New Boston submit the following statements
of Receipts and Disbursements:

The receipts on account of the town for the year ending Feb-
ruary 21, 1842, are as follows:—

Amount of taxes assessed,	\$4053 23
Cash received of Surplus Revenue,	125 89
Avails of Literary Fund,	84 15
Avails of Ministerial Fund,	335 19
Avails of School Fund,	88 84
Use of Town House,	22 50
For License to Show-men,	10 00
Allowance from county for Building Roads,	300 00
Proceeds of sale of lumber,	30 00
Money borrowed for use of the town,	1391 50
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	\$6441 30

Out of which the following Disbursements have been made:—

For building and repairing Highways and Bridges,	\$2020 53
Paid Militia,	190 50
“ for support of Schools,	839 66
Abatement of Taxes,	32 14
Paid sundry Bills of 1840,	173 49
Paid S. Whipple for collecting taxes,	55 73
Non-resident Highway tax as per receipts,	71 45
Stationery,	2 30
Miscellaneous expenses,	58 08
State and County tax,	654 69
Support of the Poor,	245 16
Paid out Ministerial Funds,	335 19
Paid Town Officers,	167 94
Paid sundry Notes against the town, amounting to	\$1133 37
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	\$5980 23

Leaving a balance in favor of the town,	\$461 07
Deduct outstanding demands against the town, includ- ing Salary of Superintendant of Poor Farm,	\$110 00
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And there remains a balance of \$351 07

There is due to the town:—Interest on Funds prior to Feb. 8, 1841,	\$195 88
Due of Surplus Revenue,	\$2306 07
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	\$2853 02

There are outstanding notes against the town amounting to	\$8362 21
From which deduct Surplus Revenue, balance in favor of town, and interest money due as above,	\$2853 02
And it leaves a balance against the town of	\$5509 19

The foregoing statement of Town Accounts, gives a correct representation of the financial concerns of the town, and is respectfully submitted to the citizens thereof, by

R. B. COCHRAN,	} Selectmen of New-Boston.
WILLARD DODGE,	
DANIEL CAMPBELL,	

Feb. 21, 1842.

